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## COAST VISITED BY HEAVY STORM

DELUGE OF RAIN AND HEAVY  
WIND VISITS ENTIRE NORTH  
COAST; BELIEVED TWO LIVES  
LOST ON THE BAY.

The entire north Pacific coast from Santa Cruz to British Columbia was swept by a severe gale Thursday. At some points the gale rose to a velocity of 72 miles an hour.

In and around the region of San Francisco bay the storm was unusually severe. On the bay itself a number of boats broke from their moorings. Ferry boats encountered exceedingly rough passage from Oakland to San Francisco, but no accidents occurred.

Along the peninsula a deluge of rain fell during the afternoon, in some sections reaching the proportions of a cloudburst. In the northern part of San Mateo county, although definite measurements are lacking, it is believed that nearly 2 inches of rain fell between 1 o'clock and 4.

Two lives were probably lost in the bay storm. The body of a woman and that of a United States sailor were reported floating in the path of ferry-boats during the afternoon. Efforts of the police to find them proved unavailing.

Although storm warnings will not be taken down today by the United States Weather Bureau, it was announced last night that forecasts were for a let-up in the severity of the gale before morning. Indications were that the storm had split, some of the winds and accompanying rains spreading to the San Joaquin valley and Southern California and some moving eastward.

Yesterday afternoon the wind and rain had penetrated as far inland as Sacramento and there was some snow in the mountains. At Summit, Placer county, 3 inches of snow fell, making the season's total 58 inches.

### BAD CHECK ARTIST IS HELD FOR TRIAL

Jack Edsall, the man who passed a bad check for \$250 on the Bank of South San Francisco recently, appeared before Judge Ray Griffin in Redwood City Tuesday and was held to answer in the superior court.

Edsall presented a draft at the South San Francisco bank drawn on the First National Bank of Los Angeles and supposed to have been signed by his mother, Mrs. B. Edsall. The draft was cashed, and a few days later the bank was notified that Mrs. B. Edsall was unknown at the Los Angeles bank and had no account there. Edsall was traced to Bakersfield by the sheriff, and after his arrest was returned to Redwood City.

He was held to answer to the superior court by Judge Griffin, after he had admitted that his real name was Donald Northrup and that the name Edsall was fictitious.

### WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO AMERICAN LEGION FORMED

An organization that is to serve as a woman's auxiliary to the local post of the American Legion was formed at a meeting held at the city hall Wednesday night. The new lodge will consist of mothers, sisters, wives and daughters of veterans of the great war. It is expected that this body will be to the American Legion all that the Woman's Relief Corps has been to the G. A. R. Fourteen women relatives of ex-service men signed the roll of the new order, thus constituting themselves charter members. The organization was perfected by the election of the following officers: Chairman, Gladys Ryan; vice-chairman, Mrs. W. J. Hyland; treasurer, Helen Schmidt; secretary, Elizabeth Hyland. The Woman's Auxiliary will meet every first and third Friday of the month at the city hall. All women relatives of ex-service men and all women who themselves served in the war will be welcomed to membership.

## FIVE GO TO HOSPITAL AFTER AUTO COLLISION

Cars Driven by S. F. Meyers of San Francisco and J. Blanton of San Mateo Crash Sunday.

An automobile collision that put five persons in the hospital occurred on the highway near Tanforan Sunday. The injured were:

Minette Meyers, two-year-old daughter of S. F. Meyers of 665 Seventh street, San Francisco, driver of one of the cars. Little Minette received severe lacerations about the head, one a gash that required several stitches. She is now at the South San Francisco Hospital.

Julius Meyers, young son of Meyers. Lacerations of head and chest. Taken to the South San Francisco Hospital.

Mrs. S. J. Blanton, wife of the driver of the other car. Mrs. Blanton's injuries were slight and she was enabled to proceed to her home after having her wounds dressed at the South San Francisco Hospital.

Mrs. D. Bohr, sister of Meyers. Broken upper jaw and nose, bruises about head and body. Taken to the Red Cross Hospital at San Mateo.

Mrs. G. Morris, mother of Mrs. Meyers. Fractured leg and bruises about the body. Taken to South San Francisco Hospital.

Mrs. Meyers received slight lacerations and bruises. Mrs. Meyers was holding the baby at the time of the crash, and such was the violence of the collision that the child was hurled from her arms.

The collision occurred when the Meyers machine, driving south on the highway, met the Blanton car coming north. According to the story of those who were in the accident and of officers who were on the ground soon afterward, the Blanton car was traveling on the wrong side of the road. Meyers turned to the left, thinking to avoid the other car, when Blanton suddenly swerved to the same side of the road.

Meyers and J. S. Blanton, the drivers of the two cars, escaped injury. The Blantons live at 606 San Mateo drive, San Mateo.

### FRATERNAL BROTHERHOOD HAS INTERESTING MEETING

The Fraternal Brotherhood lodge had a very interesting meeting last Friday night. After initiating a class of eight the following officers were elected to serve for the ensuing term: President, A. A. Whitten; vice-president, Mrs. Florence Schurk; past president, Mrs. Callie Stearns; chaplain, Mrs. Helen Standley; secretary, Mrs. Clara Broner; treasurer, Mrs. A. A. Whitten; physician, Dr. R. S. Irvine; sergeant, Mrs. Hazel Selby; mistress-at-arms, Miss Marie Burns; I. D. K., F. S. Mojica; O. D. K., Chas. Mercks.

At the close of the business session refreshments were served, the Masonic lodge being invited as guests. The combined gathering was favored with vocal selections by Miss Alice Stearns, Miss Elsie Still, and J. G. Walker.

The annual "open house" will be given Friday evening, December 17th. "Open house" means all members, their families and friends will be welcome. Music, cards, and refreshments will be the features of the evening.

### GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH

A cordial invitation is extended to the general public to come and hear Dr. Edward L. Parsons, Bishop Coadjutor of the diocese of California, Sunday evening at Grace Episcopal Church at half-past 7 o'clock. Dr. Parsons is known throughout the United States as a leader in progressive movements. He is a strong advocate of Christian unity, being a member of the commission on the World Conference on Faith and Order which was sent to Europe recently in that connection, and was high in the councils of the church before his election as bishop. His visit on Sunday evening is happily connected with the twenty-fourth anniversary of the consecration of Grace Church, the first church built in South San Francisco, and erected by public subscription, and erected by public subscription.

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John F. Davis of Burlingame appeared for San Bruno.

## Bargaining Across the Frontier



On the frontier between their countries, German and Russian merchants have been allowed only ten minutes each day to do their trading. The only money the Germans would accept was American dollars.

## DALY CITY SCENE OF BRUTAL GANG ATTACK

Assault of Mrs. E. Burganhagan Was Equal to Cases in the City.

It has developed within the last few days that Daly City was the scene November 21st of a hoodlum gang attack on a woman that almost rivaled in ferocity and beastliness the attacks that have stirred San Francisco the last few weeks. Mrs. E. Burganhagan of Peoria street was the victim. The thugs who were guilty of the assault were Emil Novak, husband of Mrs. Burganhagan's daughter, and another man whose name has not been made public. Novak is now in the county jail at Redwood City, while his companion is a fugitive from justice, but local officers believe he will be captured within a few days.

Novak was given a preliminary hearing before Judge Johnson November 22d, and held to answer in the superior court to a charge of assault with intent to commit murder. It is believed by officers working on the case that he went to the Berganhagan house with the deliberate purpose of killing his wife, who is now suing him for divorce. Mrs. Novak escaped and ran screaming from the house, summoning help. Before assistance arrived the brutes assaulted the other woman and beat and choked her almost into insensibility. At the time of Novak's hearing his victim was unable to appear against him, being in bed as a result of the savage treatment she had received.

## SAN BRUNO CITY WINS WATER SYSTEM SUIT

Superior Judge George H. Buck Thursday denied the application of the San Bruno Taxpayers' Association for a permanent injunction against the San Bruno board of city trustees purchasing a city water system, as voted by the board.

Several weeks ago the board went on record as favoring the purchase, following which the Taxpayers' Association secured a temporary restraining order from the court on the ground that the matter must be submitted to a vote of the people before the board has the authority to pursue.

Judge Buck in his decision dismissed the application for an injunction and states that under the public utilities act of 1913 the board of trustees of any incorporated town has a right to establish an assessment district for the purchase of any public utility.

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### TAXES COMING IN WELL.

City taxes are coming in well, according to City Clerk Dan McSweeney. Since the open season for the city taxes Mr. McSweeney has taken in \$35,087.53 of the public's good coin in payment thereof. About \$2000 of this was for street work assessments.

## "BOOTLEG" ORDINANCE GIVEN SECOND READING

Committee Appointed From Trustees to Try and Secure Better Car Service for South S. F.

The new city ordinance placing a license tax of \$2 a month or \$6 a quarter on stores or places of business selling soft drinks went to its second reading at Monday night's meeting of the board of city trustees. It goes into effect after the expiration of thirty days from the date of its adoption, or January 7, 1921. By the terms of this ordinance, soft drink places, if detected selling beverages that come under the ban of the prohibition laws, will have their licenses revoked and be put out of business. The ordinance also fixes the hours that these places of business may keep open as from 6 o'clock in the morning to 11:30 p. m., and states that any person conducting such a place of business who keeps open between 11:30 and 6 in the morning or who permits any disturbance of the public peace, order or decorum by noisy, riotous, or disorderly conduct on the premises, will also be subject to having his license revoked.

Two more applications for the position of driver of the fire truck were received by the trustees Monday night. They were from Thomas J. Smith and Roderick Tibbets. About a half dozen applications for this job have now been received, but as yet no action has been taken in the matter.

A communication was received from Miss Este Coffinberry, asking for a refund of \$8.40 from the city taxes assessed against lot 11, block 125. As the assessment was shown to have been inequitable with that of surrounding property, the refund was allowed. The assessment was shown to be the same as made for several years, except for the percentage of increase levied on all city property this year.

A communication was received from Knott, complaining about the poor street car service this city is being given. After considerable discussion, L. G. Hardy Jr., A. J. Eschelbach, and J. W. Coleberd were appointed on committee to interview the superintendent of this section of the United Railroads Company, the manager of the Municipal Railroads and Supervisor Welch of San Francisco. The latter two were to be consulted with a view to discussing the feasibility of an electric car line connecting South San Francisco and San Francisco along the Bay Shore highway.

Reports from city officers were read and ordered filed. The report of City Health Officer Dr. J. C. McGovern conveyed the information that he had had city water from three different places in town analyzed, and that it had been pronounced "safe for drinking purposes." Dr. McGovern also stated that there were a number of cases of chicken-pox among the school children of the town.

A number of bills against the city were read and ordered paid, among them the bill of the South San Francisco Furniture Company for — for the furniture in the new city hall and one from the Roberts Manufacturing Company for \$2120 for the city hall lighting fixtures. A letter from the Roberts Company congratulated the city upon the beautiful new home it had acquired.

City Marshal Conrad brought to the attention of the board the fact that the framework of the big electric sign across the street near the S. P. depot was becoming dangerous, as some of its supports were badly rusted. Whether the sign would ever be lighted again was discussed at some length, but no definite action on the condition of the sign was taken.

The city attorney brought up the subject of the city's joining with other California municipalities in raising a fund to have made a thorough and painstaking appraisal of the properties of the Pacific Gas and Electric Company and the Western Power Company. This in view of the fact that before many more months the State Railroad Commission will have the fixing of the permanent rates these companies will be allowed to charge for their services. It is proposed that when the time for this hearing arrives to have the side of the power consumers represented by able counsel who shall have

## CO. BOARD TO HELP RECRUIT FOR SHIP

COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO GET  
MEN FOR CALIFORNIA; BOARD  
APPROPRIATES \$500 TOWARD  
EXPENSES NAVAL BASE COMM.

That the supervisors of the county will take an active part in helping to secure recruits for the battleship California was a development at Monday night's meeting of the county board. This will be done through committeemen appointed from different parts of the county. The appointments were made in response to the request of Chief Quartermaster R. L. Hoffman, United States navy, who appeared at the meeting. For the north end of the county the appointments were E. E. Cunningham and T. L. Hickey of South San Francisco, H. H. Smith of Daly City, and George Hughes of San Bruno.

J. J. McGrath of San Mateo appeared before the board on behalf of the San Mateo naval base committee, and asked for an appropriation from the county to assist in defraying the expenses of \$1000 incurred in presenting to the congressional committee the advantages on San Mateo Point. The board granted an appropriation of \$500 from the county advertising fund.

Reports were received from the county officials for the month of November and ordered filed. Edna Holroyd was appointed county librarian to fill the office made vacant by the resignation of Anna Bell Bailey. Miss Holroyd was formerly county librarian of Tuolumne county.

Dr. J. C. McGovern of South San Francisco was appointed county dentist from the First township on the Social Service Commission.

Henrietta Brown withdrew her application for permission to open dog kennels at Belmont, after a petition signed by forty residents of that district had been presented.

Architect W. H. Toepke submitted a list of eighty-two contractors who have filed notice of intention to figure on the new county hospital.

## DR. HICKOK SENTENCED TO TERM IN PRISON

Dr. Galen Hickok, San Francisco physician, convicted last Saturday in the superior court at Redwood City of performing an illegal operation on Mrs. Bertha Castle of San Francisco, was sentenced Wednesday to an indefinite stay in San Quentin prison. His term will be from two to five years. Judge Benjamin Knight of Santa Cruz presided during the trial and when sentence was passed in place of Judge George H. Buck, who is ill.

Dr. Hickok's case was one of the most noted that has been heard in the San Mateo county court since that of Dr. Northcott, convicted over two years ago of the murder of an army nurse by a similar operation. Hickok's case gained widespread notoriety through the discovery that his sanitarium at Salada Beach, long known as "mystery castle," was apparently conducted for the purpose of such operations. Evidence submitted during his trial went to show this to have been the case.

A ten-day stay of execution was allowed after bail had been refused and the doctor remanded to the care of the sheriff.

### RED CROSS ROLL CALL NETS \$750 IN SOUTH S. F.

It is felt by those who took part in the Red Cross roll call in this city that very satisfactory results were obtained, \$750 being the amount that was secured. The members of the Woman's Club managed the canvassing of the town and solicited from house to house and throughout the factory district.

all the available and necessary data at hand. Decision as to whether South San Francisco would assist in this work was withheld till a later meeting.

**SUPERVISOR-ELECT  
APPOINTED BY GOV.**

Manuel Francis to Fill Out Unexpired Term of Late Joseph Franel.

Manuel Francis, recently elected supervisor of the Fourth township, has been appointed by Governor W. D. Stephens to the same position to fill out the unexpired term of his brother, the late Supervisor Joseph Francis, of Halfmoon Bay. Former Supervisor Joseph Francis died Oc-

tober 11th after a lingering illness of many months. Since his death the Fourth township has been without representation on the board, and it is to remedy this situation that the board of supervisors petitioned Governor Stephens, directly after the November election, to appoint Supervisor-elect Manuel Francis to take office immediately. But for this appointment his term would have begun January 1st.

County Clerk Elizabeth M. Nash received notice Wednesday of the governor's action on the petition of the board.

No. of Bank 333

**REPORT OF CONDITION**

—OF THE—

**BANK OF SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO**

AT SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

As of the close of business on the 15th day of November, 1920.

RESOURCES	COMMERCIAL	SAVINGS	COMBINED
Loans and Discounts (excluding rediscounts)	\$323,975.60	\$ 474,132.23	\$ 798,107.83
Notes, Drafts or Bills of Exchange (excluding rediscounts)		57,500.00	\$ 7,500.00
Overdrafts	1,540.93		1,540.93
Bonds, Warrants and Other Securities (including premium thereon less all offsetting bond adjustment accounts)	60,065.12	390,659.02	459,724.14
Bank Premises, Furniture and Fixtures and Safe Deposit Vaults	18,300.00	73,925.34	92,225.34
Due from Reserve Banks	122,728.28	51,151.85	173,880.13
Due from Other Banks		3,003.94	3,003.94
Actual Cash on Hand	38,293.07	24,499.80	62,792.87
Checks and other cash items	8,201.97		8,201.97
Other Resources	9.00		9.00
Total	\$582,113.97	\$1,074,872.18	\$1,656,986.15

**LIABILITIES**

Capital Paid In	\$ 34,000.00	\$ 66,000.00	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus	16,000.00	25,500.00	41,500.00
All Undivided Profits (less expenses, interest, taxes, etc., paid)	3,828.51	19,521.20	23,349.71
Reserved for Interest, Taxes and Expenses		915.73	915.73
Dividends Unpaid	6.00		6.00
Individual Deposits subject to check	456,177.11	962,935.25	1,419,112.36
Savers Deposits	36,451.66		36,651.96
Demand Certificates of Deposit	567.28		567.28
Certified Checks	20,741.76		20,741.76
Cashiers' Checks			
State, County and Municipal Deposits	14,141.35		14,141.35
Total	\$582,113.97	\$1,074,872.18	\$1,656,986.15

**CONTINGENT LIABILITIES**

Liabilities for Rediscounts, excluding those with Federal Reserve Bank.

Liabilities for Rediscout with Federal Reserve Bank.

**TOTAL CONTINGENT LIABILITIES**

Interest Earned but not Collected (not included in Resources or Liabilities).

None

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

W. H. COFFINBERRY, President, and H. L. HAAKER, Cashier, of Bank of South San Francisco, being duly sworn, each for himself, says he has a personal knowledge of the matters contained in the foregoing report of condition and that every allegation, statement, matter and thing therein contained is true to the best of his knowledge and belief

W. H. COFFINBERRY, President.  
H. L. HAAKER, Cashier.  
Severally subscribed and sworn to before me by both deponents the 30th day of November, 1920.  
(SEAL)  
Notary Public in and for said County of San Mateo, State of California.

**AS OTHERS SEE US**

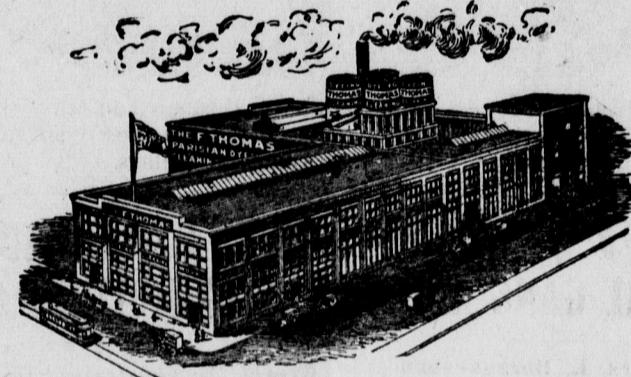
Under this heading The Enterprise will publish, from time to time, communications from its readers on topics of general interest. This paper assumes no responsibility for these utterances, merely acting as a medium for public expression. Please confine your remarks to the point, be brief, avoid personalities, and confine yourself to subjects that interest your neighbors as well as yourself. Every letter must be signed by the writer's name as evidence of good faith, but these names will not be published where the writers do not wish it.

Dear Editor: I read your editorial in last week's paper on the use of tobacco, then I filled my pipe, applied the match, drew a few pleasant puffs, and read the editorial over again. I am certainly with you when you say this poison must be abolished. If I live a few days longer I shall be seventy-five years old, and for sixty of these years have used tobacco, not to excess, of course; that is, I don't smoke while asleep. I agree with you also, that the other things you mention must go, especially face powder. This powder gets on men's coats and helps to spread disease.

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Workmen have been employed for several days at the rooms of the South San Francisco Chamber of Commerce at the city hall. The splendid assortment of paintings of scenes in this city is being rearranged and effectively displayed. Two of the largest, great paintings about eight

feet in length, are being placed in frames, around which electric lights will give a striking illumination.

**CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY.**

Henry Haaker celebrated his birthday Wednesday evening with a stag party. About twelve of his friends were present. Refreshments of wienies, pickles, and hard buns were served.

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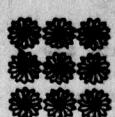
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## Woman's World



### Hats That Smile at Winter



**I**N A GROUP of hats for little girls, it is not without intention that a plain felt is placed at the top; for of all millinery for children, the handsome beaver or felt, with ribbon trim, holds its own as always above criticism and always appropriate. These beavers and felts, plain as they are, come in an unbelieveable variety of shapes and endlessly ingenious ribbon trims, and in all needed sizes and colors. They are here and have been for many years and are as certain of return each year as the seasons are. Occasionally one comes across a model that has a little additional embellishment besides the ribbon band or sash and in those pictured there is a flat, stitched band of felt about the brim-edge.

But even these lovely beavers and felts have rivals in pretty hats of velvet, each enhancing the virtue of the other. Just below the felt hat, at the left there is shown a delightful bonnet-like shape with soft crown of velvet. Its brim is made of ribbon. The velvet side-crown is gaily embroidered and ribbon is looped at the side with long ends falling. Little misses are much dressed up when they wear

pretty head coverings of this description.

The hat at the right is simpler and is also made of velvet. Two colors are used for it, the brim in a lighter tone than the crown, and a sash of ribbon finishes it.

A charming hat at the bottom of the group is an amusing miniature made like hats for grownups. It is also made of velvet with sectional crown and has an upturned brim split at each side. Silk cord edges the brim and outlines the seams in the crown and bright motifs in silk embroidery help the gaiety of the winter season. No wonder its small wearer is so pleased with life in general and her hat in particular. It is a clever piece of designing in which the means used for developing maturer headwear have been perfectly adopted to childhood. Hats as elaborate as this look best with plain coats and it happens that coats for girls are plain this season.

*Julia Bottomley*

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GATTENBEIN—At the South San Francisco Hospital, December 1, 1920, to the wife of A. Gattenbein, a son.

COWARD—At the South San Francisco Hospital, December 6, 1920, to the wife of R. Coward, a daughter.

MORRISON—At the South San Francisco Hospital, December 5, 1920, to the wife of J. Morrison of San

Bruno, a son.

COWARD—At the South San Francisco Hospital, December 6, 1920, to the wife of R. Coward, a daughter.

FRANCIS—At the South San Francisco Hospital, December 6, 1920, to the wife of E. Francis, a son.

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### PRACTICAL RECIPES

#### WHEN TIME IS SHORT BEFORE MEAL, MAKE ROP BISCUIT

To save time in preparation or when no cutter is at hand make drop biscuit. The dough should be somewhat softer than for biscuits which are to be cut, but not too soft. The mixture should be soft enough not to spread on the tin. The spoonfuls should be put on the tins one-half inch apart. When baked the biscuit should have a smooth, rounded surface rather than a rough, bumpy one. If desired, the top may be brushed with milk or smoothed gently with a knife dipped into water or milk.

"Emergency" or drop biscuits are not quite like the rolled ones, but if of proper consistency are equally good. Some judges of pastry insist they are a little more tender.

#### Drop Biscuit

2 cups sifted flour.  
3/4 teaspoonful salt.  
4 tablespoons baking powder.  
2 tablespoons shortening.  
1 cup liquid (milk, water, or equal parts of each), or more if necessary.

#### QUALITIES A LOAF OF GOOD HOME-MADE BREAD POSSESSES

Good home-made bread is about the most appetizing of foods when one is hungry, but there are many kinds of home-made bread. Some is good, some is bad, and some indifferent. Which kind do you make? If you don't know, judge it by the following description of a good loaf given by the Home Economic Kitchen of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Good bread is porous and contains a large number of holes or cells, all of which are of about the same size and shape. It is better for some reasons to think of it as a mass of tiny bubbles made of flour and water and hardened or fixed in shape by means of heat. This calls attention not only to the size of holes or cells, but also to the character of walls of the cells, which in good bread are always very thin.

A loaf of bread should be light in weight, considering its size, and should have a symmetrical form and an unbroken, golden-brown crust. The crust should be smooth on top and should have a certain luster, to which the term "bloom" has been given.

The loaf as a whole, the crust and the crumb, should be elastic. The loaf, if pressed out of shape, as it often is when slices are cut from it, should regain its form when the pressure is removed. Bits of the crust, if bent a little between the fingers, should show the same power to rebound, as should also the cut surface of the loaf if pressed.

The crumb should be creamy white in color and should have a "sheen," which may be compared with the bloom of the crust. This sheen can best be seen by looking across a slice rather than directly down into it. The distribution of the holes, on the other hand, and the thickness of the walls can best be examined by cutting a very thin slice and holding it up to the light.

The flavor of the bread should be, as nearly as possible, the flavor of wheat developed or brought out by the use of salt. This flavor is not easy to describe, but is familiar to those who have tasted the wheat kernel.

#### SODIUM FLUORID SOON RIDES PREMISES OF COCKROACHES

One of the most effective and simple means of ridding premises of roaches is dusting with commercial sodium fluorid, either pure or diluted one-half with some inert substance such as powdered gypsum or flour. This remedy is one recommended by the United States Department of Agriculture.

Numerous practical tests conducted in lunch rooms, bakeries, milk-bottle exchanges, etc., have shown that with the use of this substance roaches can be completely exterminated with very little trouble and cost and with none of the possible dangers attending the use of hydrocyanic-acid gas, another efficient means of control. With the use of some dust gun or blower the sodium fluorid can be thoroughly dusted over the shelves, table, floors, and the runways and hiding places of the roaches.

The immediate effect of the powder is to cause these insects to come out of their retreats and rush about more or less blindly, showing evidence of discomfort, to be followed in the course of a few hours by their death. These dead or paralyzed roaches can be swept up and burned, and complete extermination is effected within

twenty-four hours. It is not definitely known whether the sodium fluorid acts through the breathing pores or as a stomach poison. Probably, however, it acts in both ways, inasmuch as it has been found to kill caterpillars fed on foliage dusted with it.

Savory stews are easily prepared and make especially acceptable dishes for the school lunch on cold days.

#### ATTEND DINNER DANCE GIVEN BY NORMAL SCHOOL STUDENTS

Thursday evening of last week eight of the San Francisco normal girls entertained a group of friends at a dinner dance at the Palace Hotel. Those attending from South San Francisco were: Miss Beatrice Elkerenkotter, Miss Lolita Kelley, Miss Margaret Carmody, and Joshua Maule Jr.

#### GET TOGETHER SUPPER PLANNED BY GRACE CHURCH

The members and friends of Grace Episcopal Church, South San Francisco, have planned an informal "get together" supper for next Monday evening in celebration of the twenty-fourth anniversary of the parish. The clergy within reach, formerly connected with the parish have been invited, and other outside guests are expected.

The program will include some brief after-dinner speeches, with music interspersed. All who have been working in the parish are urged to attend.

The trap drummer in a show always reminds us of press-day.—Moundridge (Kan.) Journal.

#### ENTERTAINS AT LUNCH.

Mrs. C. W. Meyers entertained at luncheon Wednesday, the guests being as follows: Miss Lucile Bell of San Francisco, Miss Grace Martin, Mrs. Lewis Adams, and Mrs. Henry Haaker, the last three of this city.

#### LADIES' AID PLANS SOCIAL NEXT WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. church is planning holding a social at the church parlor Wednesday, December 15th, at 2 p. m. At this time a sale of the articles left from the bazaar will be held and refreshments served. All are cordially invited.

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### WHAT IS BEING DONE.

San Francisco is having a house cleaning. Thugs, hoodlums, cutthroats, human beasts of prey are being driven out of that city by the hundred or are hurriedly leaving until after the storm of public wrath stirred up by the hideous Howard street outrage has passed. These vultures, the horrible spewings of the blackest slums, must stop somewhere; what more reasonable than to expect that South San Francisco, one of nearest neighbors to the big town, will get more than its share? From other cities all about come reports of the steps being taken to guard against the settling of these carrion feeders in these cities. What is being done in South San Francisco?

In these other towns officers are nightly making the rounds of the pool halls, cigar stores and other places where undesirables hang out, and every suspicious-looking character is given the choice of telling who he is and how he is employed, or leaving town. And every one must also give good proof of being employed or the arm of the law falls upon him. Several near-by towns have added an extra policeman or two and all trains going through are being watched to see that none of this human offal is dropped in the town. Policemen are being heavily armed and in some places orders have been issued to take no chances, where the circumstances justified such action to shoot, and shoot straight and investigate afterward.

South San Francisco should take similar action. It is not a time to argue, not a time to plead a need for economy, not a time for excuses for work undone. It is a time for action, thorough action, action that will safeguard lives, property and honor.

### MAKE DEATH THE PENALTY.

Revolt! Terrible! Horrible! These are words which in the last fortnight have grown common and weak from use in discussions of the Howard street outrage. Dreadful! Distressing! Fiendish! Beyond all argument, it was all of these and more. The language contains no words commensurate with the dastardliness of the crime—but what is going to be done about it? The men are to be given a quick trial and speedy punishment. Well and good, and what is the punishment to be? The limit of the law, every decent citizen hopes, but what is the limit? About twenty years in the penitentiary. Is that just punishment for one of the most heinous, most revolting of crimes?

A man takes the life of another and under the California law he can be and often is hanged. Yet often there are extenuating circumstances connected with murder. A man takes part in such a hideous orgy as that which occurred at the Howard street shack and is given a few years in the penitentiary, then turned loose in the world again, in a great majority of cases more hardened, more of a beast from his contact with the inmates of the prison, than when he entered.

The man who shot the policemen at Santa Rosa will probably hang if he lives. He will hang for murder, but was the other crime in which he took a prominent part less worthy of death?

"Spud" Murphy, leader of the Howard street gang of human vultures, was arrested for the same crime ten years ago. He has proven himself incorrigible, why should he be tolerated longer on the earth?

The police records of San Francisco show that in the last six months 100 women, girls and children have been assaulted in that city alone. Some of the perpetrators of these outrages received reasonably severe terms in prison, some ridiculously light punishment, some none at all. The outrages go on. What is the matter with San Francisco justice? What is the matter with California law? There can be but one answer to the whole revolting, hideous mess. Death is the penalty that should be meted out to the "Spud" Murphys that appear all too often in every police court of every big city. Death, not more to punish or to furnish an example to others of like breed than to remove from life that which is a menace to society and all well-intentioned human beings.

We do not reason that a rattlesnake may have its uses or may reform and cease to bear venomous fangs. We put it to death and that is the end.

In what way are "Spud" Murphy and his hell-hounds superior to rattlesnakes?

LATER.

As this paper was about to go to press this morning came word of the lynching of three of the gangsters at Santa Rosa. Far be it from this journal to advocate public violence, but try as we may we can't feel much regret over this event. The exceedingly quiet and orderly way in which the lynching was carried out proves that the men involved in the affair are nominally law-abiding citizens. The hoodlums and murderers got what they deserved. We are not hoping for lynching for those held in San Francisco, but that every one will get the rope through the regular channels of the law is our earnest wish.

The churches have one habit which would be commendable if applied to all forms of commercial life, that of payment in advance. We deposit our nickel in the collection box before hearing the sermon.

Any one can have a good time, if he only thinks so.

### NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the City and County of San Francisco.  
In the Matter of the Estate of William F. Delaney, Deceased. No. 26048, Dept. 7.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, John T. Delaney, administrator of the estate of William F. Delaney, deceased, will sell at private sale to the highest and best bidder and on the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned, and subject to confirmation by the Superior Court, the title and interest of said deceased, at the time of his death, as well as all the right, title and interest that he may have had in or addition to that of said deceased at the time of his death, it and to all those certain lots, pieces and parcels of land situate in the County of San Mateo, State of California, more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

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**THIS IS SOME DICTIONARY**

**Arabic Affair Used by Scholars Is in 20 Volumes and Weighs About 100 Pounds.**

The ponderous dictionaries of Europe, even the famous many-volumed etymological index of Larousse, which is the monumental work of all modern tongues, are more than surpassed, says the New York Sun, by the Arabic dictionaries of 500 years ago, which are still the great authority for students in that language.

The Arabic dictionary most used by scholars who are familiar with no other language is in 20 quarto volumes and weighs close to 100 pounds. There is a 50-pound ten-volume abridgment of it, presumably for use at home. This and virtually all the Arabic dictionaries were made in the time of the Harun-al-Rashid.

The Islamic empire is credited by Moslems with two great eras. The first was that of conquest, when the only history was written with the sword. Then came centuries of Mohammedan domination, when the Moslems peacefully held the empires they had conquered in Asia and in the Iberian peninsula. During these art and literature flourished and the Arabic dictionary was born. In Arabia the flower of this period was in the golden time of Caliph Harun-al-Rashid.

Each of the words that have been familiar in the daily life of the no-

mads for centuries has an enormous number of synonyms. The lion, for example, was feared by villagers and hunted not only for sport but as a matter of necessity. Therefore in the Arabic dictionary the lion has more than a hundred different names. The camel was the sole means of transportation across the thirsty deserts and is characterized in 122 different ways.

But above all, the horse and the sword were the two great stand-bys of the Arab. There are more than 200 words that convey ideas of "horse" and "sword." All other familiar words, such as tent, flock, herds, water, woman, sun and air, have long lists of synonyms that are interchangeable and in constant use. This affords some slight explanation why Arabic dictionaries are of so large size.

Arabic, so the Arabs say, was the language of the Babylonians, and it is also contended by them that it was the tongue which Abraham spoke.

**Her Pleasure Spoiled.**  
"Is your wife's mother enjoying her trip to the mountains?"

"I'm afraid not. She's found something at last that she can't walk over."—Boston Transcript.

Queer how these old names "waste paper" and "cotton waste" outlive the cold facts.—Boston Herald.

Yes, men have to live and learn. But it does seem as if some of us have to live an awful lot to learn a very little.—Moberly (Mo.) Monitor.

Of course, we don't expect you to

believe all of the brilliant and learned things we write. We don't ourselves.—Roseville (Ill.) Times-Citizen.

It may be true that the profiteers will now get what's coming to them,

but they already have got what's coming to us.—Sycamore Leader.

America will have to join some kind of international association or do most of her trading with the Eskimos.—

Birmingham Age-Herald.

"Probing the Booze Ring in New York," says a news headline. Probably trying to find the bunghole.—McAlester (Okla.) Guardian.

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George M. Hayice and wife to F. E. Littlefield—Lot 9, block 57, Farallone City 2.  
Arthur G. Duncan and wife to Helen Douglas—Lot 53, block 9, Crocker Tract.

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Annie C. Berry to George F. Spencer—West 50 feet lots 10 and 11, block 10, Polo Field subdivision.  
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Same to Fred W. Workman and wife—Lot 43, same addition.

Edna Cecile Diggles ad husband to C. S. Crary—100 feet on Burlingame avenue, portion block 1, Burlingame.  
Norwood B. Smith to Jessie H. Smith (wife)—1.42 acres, Portola Woods.

John J. Konzen to William G. Roberts—Lots 5 to 10, 23, 26, 27, 28, 31, block 36, Dumbarton.

Orien Levy and wife to Mary Novak—Lot 11, block 4, Concordia Land Company.

Joseph Levy and wife to Nathalie Levy—Lots 1 and 2, block 2, Brewer subdivision Western Addition San Mateo.

Mary Gordon to Ellen Hollihan—Lot 16, block 95, South San Francisco.  
Charlotte Bauer and husband to Agnes M. Dyer—Lot 7, block 37, Easton 2.

Charles C. Dobie to William Albert Setchell—Lots 2, 3, 4, block 61, Farmallie City, and tract between Marine Walls and Ocean.

Benjamin B. Race and wife to Mary F. Jacobs—Lot 6, block 30, Western Addition San Mateo.

Wilfred H. Mattson and wife to Elsie K. Smith—Lot 24, Johnson subdivision.

Hensley-Green Company to Giuseppe Martinelli—Lots 23 and 24, block 16, Fifth Addition, San Bruno Park.

Huntington Park Realty Company to same—Quitclaim, same lots.

Patrick and Anna Savage to George Cavaliero—Lot 14, block 17, same addition.

Thomas H. Bowlen to Adolph Bittmann and wife—Lot 8, block 21, supplemental Burlingame.

A. McSweeney (Tax Collector) to J. E. Healey—Lot 25, block 45, Redwood Park.

Same to same—Lots 55 and 56, block 50, Redwood Park.

Same to Constance Healey—Lots 1 to 4, block 41, Redwood Park.

First Savings Bank of Oakland to Robert S. Browne—Portion lots 1 and 2, Polhemus Tract.

Roxy Dennis to Hazel Wheeck Clark—Lot 6, block B, Harvard Tract.  
Crocker Estate Company to Henry Maier—Lot 25, block 2, Crocker Tract.

Joseph T. McCarthy and wife to Alemanno Castiglioni and wife—Lot 1, block 20, Spanishtown.

James B. Keegan and wife to Lewis Albert Nelson and wife—Portion lot 7, block 4, Burlingame Land Company.

John Russ and wife to Emma R. De Ronde—Lot 38, Fourth Addition, Runnymede.

Fredwin H. Somers and wife to Dora L. Osthold—Lot 11, block 58, Dumbarton Oaks.

Same to Charles Henry Taber—Lot 34, west half, lot 35, block 54, same tract.

Matilda C. Quinn to Frank J. Quinn (brother)—All personal property.

Francis W. Albro and wife to Frank Albro and wife—North 45 feet lot 25, block 16, Burlingame Grove.

Arzalia Adams to Alessandro Alcardi—Lots 3 and 4, block 18, Abbey Homestead.

Long Beach Savings Bank and Trust Company to E. A. Wright—.88 acre, portion 1.19 acre, North Palo Alto.

E. A. Wright to Fernald F. Brown—Same property.

E. J. Machabee and wife to Nevo Ernest Van Vooth—Northeast portion lot 5, block 27, Oak Knoll Manor.

Charles Schoene and wife to California-Pacific Title Insurance Company—Lots 8, 9 and 10, portion 1 to 4, 11, block 7, Molitor Map, Belmont.

California-Pacific Title Insurance Company to Eugene O'Neill—Lot 8, portion lots 1, 2, 9, block 7, and portion A street, same tract.

Augusta Berg and husband to Elsie Middleton—One-tenth interest lot 13, block 1, Crocker Tract.

South San Francisco Land and Improvement Company—Y to Umberto Guidotti and wife—West 37:6 feet lot 26, block 100, South San Francisco.

Mary McAdams to Rose Brennan—Lot 21, block 12, Burlingame Terrace 2, and interest in estate of Lizzie McAdams.

Ella Harris to Richard L. Clark—Lot 7, block 10, Arleta Park 2.

John Hedley and wife to C. W. Renwick—Lot 24, Kate Johnson Estate, Menlo.

Estate of William Corbett to Charles J. Sutton—Lot 11, Corbett Estate.

Charles J. Sutton and wife to John Schlappe and wife—Same lot.

F. E. Parfitt and wife to Herbert B. Parkerson and wife—Lot 13, block 16, Burlingame Grove.

Burlingame Masonic Hall Association to James Lawrence—Portion lots 1 and 2, block 1, Burlingame Land Company.

D. P. Fullerton and wife to George Balovich and wife—Lot 14, block 4.

Hayward Addition, San Mateo.

John J. Edington and wife to Peter Clark—West half lot 9, block K, Boyd & Kent Addition.

John M. Duke and wife to C. G. Lambert and Dave L. Walter—Lot 17, block 4, Dingee Park 1.

Redwood Highlands Company to Effie M. Grayson—Lot 9, block 8, Oak Knoll Manor.

H. O. Beatty to George E. Bates—100 acres near Woodside.

H. W. Wakefield and wife to Martha M. Brakey—Half interest lot 7, southwest half lot 6, block 53, Moss Beach.

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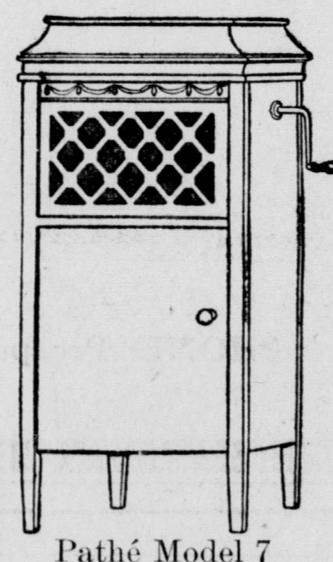
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### SAN BRUNO LOCALS

Mrs. P. J. Sullivan of San Bruno spent the past week-end visiting with relatives in San Jose.

### MISS WILLITS QUILTS CITY WATER BOARD

Trustees Hear Report on Cost of Wig-Wag at Angus Crossing; Order Walk in at School Building.

The city trustees met in regular session Wednesday evening, with Trustee Palmer absent. General routine business marked the evening's work. City Clerk Nettie A. Willits rendered her report for the month of October, which showed receipts of \$1922.43, disbursements \$2112.59, and a balance of \$984.24. No report for the month of November as regards receipts and disbursements has been rendered, owing to the fact that the water assessment receipts have caused considerable congestion in the clerk's office.

City Attorney John F. Davis, in a written report, in the matter of the Angus avenue crossing, quoted the division superintendent and engineer of the Southern Pacific Company as stating, while giving testimony before the Railroad Commission, that the cost of installing an automatic wig-wag signal was approximately \$650. City Attorney Davis further stated that he had secured the information from several of the clerks of the commission that signals of this type cost from \$500 to \$750, depending upon the situation. Discussion as to the cost of opening this crossing has been in progress for several months past. No action was taken as to what course the city would pursue until information requested from the Southern Pacific Company has been received.

A suggestion made by City Attorney Davis that the city donate a nominal sum to the general fund to be used in fighting the proposed increase of rates now being sought by the power companies of Northern California, was put over for action to a later date.

A permit was granted to John Segregaro to alter the front of his store building, as per plans submitted.

Numerous claims were presented and ordered paid.

W. N. Holliday of Fourth addition protested to the board concerning the action of the Peninsula Rapid Transit Company in raising rates between here and San Francisco. The matter was turned over to City Attorney Davis for investigation.

G. A. Helmore, proprietor of the San Bruno Herald, requested that the board give him all consideration possible when ordering printing. A motion to that effect was passed.

Fred Koehler of Third addition complimented the trustees and the water board upon securing an efficient superintendent, as he is not now disturbed by the pumps as he has been in the past. Upon motion, the letter was accepted and a letter of thanks ordered sent to R. Jorgensen, the superintendent.

Plumbing Inspector E. Gibouret reported the acceptance of plumbing jobs in a half dozen buildings during the past month.

A letter from John Schyf, offering to make certain repairs to the lavatory in the city hall, was referred to the board of health.

A communication from Nettie A. Willits, resigning her position as clerk of the water board, was laid over until the next meeting for action.

After City Clerk Willits read off a sample of some of the disagreeable letters received by her concerning taxes, assessments, etc., as pertains to the city, a motion was passed that a sign be placed in a conspicuous place in the city hall requesting courtesy from all who enter. The city clerk reported that this situation is fast becoming intolerable. Should the sign fail of its purpose, the city marshal will be on the job to treat with those who become obnoxious.

Fire and Light Commissioner Patrick J. Kane reported that a fire broke out in the Rose cottage in Third addition, and that through prompt action of the fire department the blaze was put out with damage confined to the upstairs section of the house. After complimenting the firemen for their good work, a motion was passed that a letter of thanks be sent them.

Fire Commissioner Kane recommended that the city purchase a dozen water buckets for emergency purposes. This was acted favorably upon, the buckets to be painted red with the fire department's name stenciled thereon.

Public Works Commissioner J. T. O'Connor reported that the matter of overcharge on the tax bill of C. W. Jentsch had been adjusted. He recommended that the Pacific Gas and Electric Company be requested to move a certain pole in Fifth addition as a matter of safety. After he had submitted an approximate cost of installing a board walk between Tucker avenue and the Edgemont school, the board ordered that same be installed.

A matter of much importance to this city, that of zoning, came up for discussion and was referred to the City Planning Commission for immediate action. Action on other ordinances was deferred until the next meeting. City Clerk Willits was instructed to inform the owner of an open well in the Burri-Burri section of town to have it covered immediately as a matter of public safety.

There being no public discussion or further business, the board adjourned until the next regular meeting.

### WELL-KNOWN RESIDENT OF SAN BRUNO PASSES AWAY

Thomas Brady, an old and well-known resident of this city, died Sunday morning last after a lingering illness. He is survived by a brother, John, who also lives here. "Tom," as he was better known, is mourned by his many friends, who will miss his cheery presence.

### FATHERS' NIGHT TO BE HELD AT EDGEOMNT SCHOOL

The Fathers' night to be held at Edgemont school Friday evening, December 17th, is something every one interested in the schools or the work of the Parent-Teacher Association should not fail to attend. A pleasing program will be rendered, refreshments served, and a general "get together" good time will be enjoyed by all.

### RAINBOW CARNIVAL PROMISES AN UNUSUAL ENTERTAINMENT

The Rainbow Carnival at California Hall Friday and Saturday evenings gives promise of being most enjoyable. The decorations are of every color of the rainbow and the effect is pleasing.

The Parent-Teacher Association's booth, decorated in lavender and gold, will offer for sale every kind of candy one can ask for. Mrs. G. B. Storer, the popular chairman of this committee, is sparing no pains to make the candy booth a star attraction.

### POPULAR BARBER SELLS BUSINESS TO NEW EDITOR

Hans Ilchen, who for several years past has been the popular owner of the Welcome Shaving Parlors, has sold the business to G. A. Helmore, owner and editor of the San Bruno Herald. Mr. Helmore has opened his office in this building and will maintain the barber shop business under the management of a first-class tonsorial artist. Mr. Ilchen is at present undecided what course he will pursue and for the present has taken a position in San Francisco.

### FIRE DESTROYS PART OF THIRD ADDITION COTTAGE

Fire of an unknown origin destroyed the upstairs section of a Third addition cottage owned by Mrs. A. Rose Sunday last. The fire gained considerable headway and huge clouds of smoke poured out of the windows and through the roof before it was discovered and an alarm turned in.

Prompt action on the part of the firemen, aided with both chemical engines, prevented the fire from doing more damage than it did. A large portion of the household effects were removed with little damage done thereto. Fire Chief Mazzar deserves much credit for the manner in which he and his crew handled the situation despite the fact that the water supply was low.

### CITY WINS SUIT OVER WATER WORKS PURCHASE

In the case of Harry Palmer, Patrick Kane, and August Lund vs. the city of San Bruno, represented by William F. Wedell, A. S. W. Grundy, J. T. O'Connor, and Dr. F. H. Smith, the city won a sweeping victory. Judge Buck set aside all contentions of the plaintiffs and decided every point in favor of the city. Although no notice of appeal was served, the attorney for the plaintiffs intimated that such would be made. The decision removes a large part of the opposition to the purchase of the proposed water system by the city.

### SCHOOL BUS HAS NARROW ESCAPE ON WET PAVEMENT

The bus which carries San Bruno pupils to and from the San Mateo union high school was considerably damaged Thursday when another automobile crashed into it at Burlingame. The other driver apparently had been unable to stop after trying

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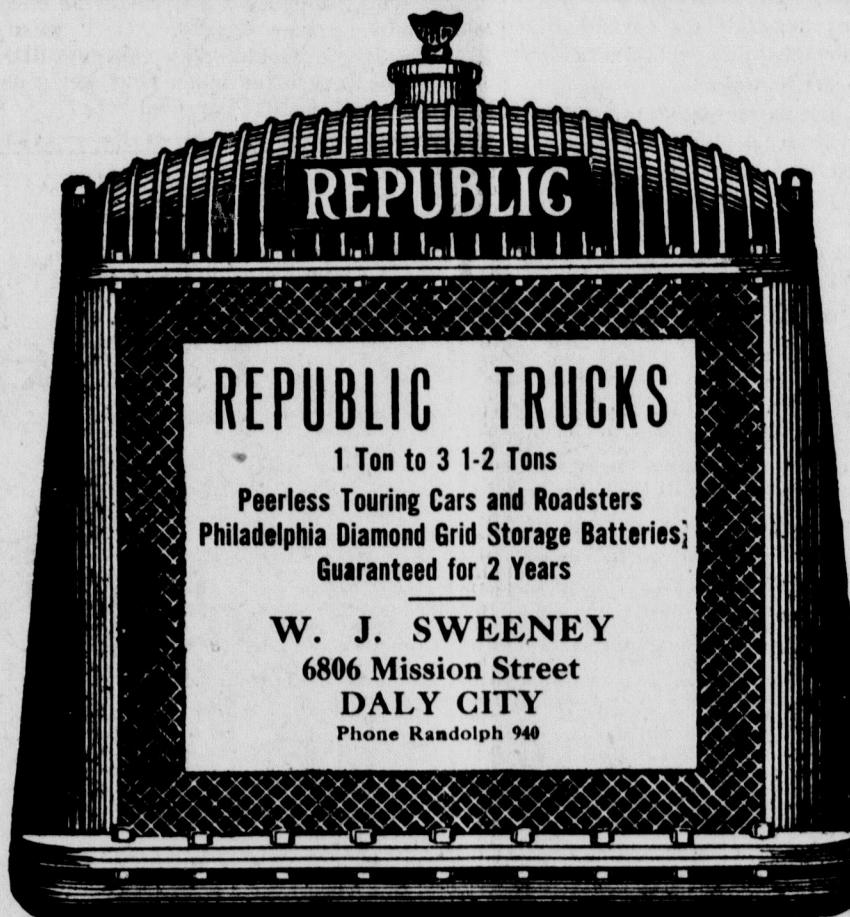
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The Haubrich family motored to Woodsidde Sunday.

Mrs. Carl Schwarz has recovered from a severe cold.

The Victory Livestock Company has moved to the Boggiano ranch.

Fred Silciani, who has been ill, is well again and back to work.

Miss Catherine Capurro is a guest at the Olcese home on Augusta street.

Misses Anita and Evelyn Lafrance spent the week-end at Watsonville.

Henry Conserva arrived home on Sunday from a trip to New York.

Ellsworth Williams left last Wednesday on a business trip to Cuba.

Mrs. Hanna Lambert has been quite ill and confined to her home for some time.

Manuel Silva of San Francisco spent Thursday visiting with friends here.

Mrs. Alice Smith spent Thursday last at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Grady.

Miss Viola Hein of South San Francisco visited with Miss Norma Belli on Monday.

Charles Adler is confined at the South San Francisco Hospital with a dislocated knee.

Mrs. L. Brisoletti (nee Charlotte Biggio) visited with her parents during the week.

Mrs. Charles H. Loughlin has been ill and confined to her home for the past three weeks.

Miss Norma Belli, the popular nurse at the South San Francisco Hospital, is on a two months' vacation.

Joseph Lafrance, an employee of the Southern Pacific Company at Watsonville, spent a few days at his home on Dunk street.

Kenneth Russi, the only son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Russi, who had been ill, has recovered and is able to attend school again.

The officers and members of the Girls' Club of Colma spent an enjoyable evening at the Alcazar Theater on Wednesday last.

Miss Elenor Giovannetti, who has undergone an operation for appendicitis, is well and around visiting her Colma friends and relatives.

Frank Oneto, a former graduate of the Jefferson school, is stationed at the Philippine islands on government duty with the United States army.

El Carmelo Parlor, No. 256, N. S. G. W., of Colma will give a dance at Fraternal Hall, South San Francisco, on Saturday evening, December 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Capurro (nee May Bono) became the happy parents of an eight and a half pound baby girl which arrived on Saturday, November 27th.

Henry Freese, who has been employed by the Southern Pacific Company at Santa Cruz, is on a vacation and spent the week-end visiting his numerous friends hereabouts.

George Krehl, better known as "Coffee George" throughout this region, has opened a coffee and sandwich parlor in the building which was formerly the old White House saloon.

During the week Angelo Olcese, a well-known rancher, became the proprietor of the lot between the old White House building and the National Auto and Repair Shop on the Mission road.

Rocco Lagomarsino and Edwin C. Ver-Linden were initiated into Olive Grove, No. 116, U. A. O. D., on Friday evening last. Julius Schindler played the accordion for the ritual work and a pleasant evening was enjoyed by the officers and members.

The old-time social given by Cypress Circle, No. 14, U. A. O. D., on

Tuesday evening last at Jefferson Hall was enjoyed by all present. August Benassini and Matt Grady won prizes in the game of musical chairs. The Virginia reel made quite a hit among the dancers.

The whist party given for the benefit of Holy Angels' parish on Saturday evening last proved to be a financial success and largely attended affair. Prizes were won by J. L. Brown, \$10; Belle Dorothy, \$5; Oscar Woolsey, a calf; Byron Mullin, the pig.

Miss Marie Pasalaqua of San Francisco and Attilio Arata of the Native Son Florist at Holy Cross Cemetery, who were united in marriage on Thanksgiving Day in San Francisco, have returned from their honeymoon and are making their residence in their beautiful bungalow at 40 Peoria street, Crocker Tract.

### JOSEPH DOYLE TAKES OCEAN VIEW GIRL AS HIS BRIDE

Joseph Doyle of Colma and Miss Elizabeth Kellejites of Ocean View were united in marriage on Saturday, November 20th, at St. Michael's Church, Ocean View. Mr. and Mrs. Doyle will reside in a beautiful home in Crocker Tract.

### BRIDE AND GROOM COMING FROM SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA

Mrs. Leon Fellmann Jr. (nee Janet Reed) of Sydney, Australia, who is accompanying her husband, is scheduled to arrive on the steamship Ventura that docks in San Francisco on Monday. Mrs. Fellmann is a bride of three months, and will make her residence in a newly erected bungalow on Augusta street.

### CYPRESS CIRCLE OF DRUDS INITIATES CLASS CANDIDATES

On Tuesday evening the Druids greeted a delegation from San Francisco circles, who had come to pay a fraternal visit to Cypress Circle, No. 14, at its meeting place in the old Jefferson Hall. An official visit took place and twelve candidates were initiated. At midnight refreshments were served and enjoyed by all the visiting and local Druids. Among those initiated were the following: Mrs. F. Volkman, Mrs. L. Homier, Mrs. E. Bauer, Mrs. A. Sturla, Mrs. J. Horkey, George Krehl, Leo Graziani, Carl Jones, Louis Merlo, and the Misses Eva Homier, Teresa Stamponi, and Pauline Benassini.

### MANY MOURN PASSING OF POPULAR UNION OIL EMPLOYEE

On November 24th the news of the death of Louis Schenone caused a shock among his numerous friends in this section of the county. Schenone had been ill and confined to his home for about three weeks. He was taken to a San Francisco hospital, where he passed away.

Schenone was the popular and very well-known truck driver for the Union Oil Company. He was 33 years of age and a native of San Francisco. The body was laid to rest in the Italian Cemetery.

Besides numerous friends, Schenone leaves to mourn his loss a widow, Mrs. Adeline Schenone; five small children, Irene, Ethel, Ernest, Joseph, and Louis Jr.; a father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schenone; six brothers, John, Fred, George, Adolph, Silvio, and Raymond, and two sisters, Mrs. A. Capurro and Miss Adele Schenone, all of whom are well known and highly respected here.

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**NOTIZIE DALLA CONTEA  
IN ITALIANO.****SPACCIATORE DI  
FALSI CHECKS BITENUTO  
ALLA CORTE SUPERIORE**

Jack Edsall, arrestato in Bakersfield per aver spacciato alla Banca di South San Francisco un check falso della somma di \$250, fu portato alla presenza del giudice Ray Griffin di Redwood City Martedì e fu ritenuto per rispondere nella Corte Superiore. Edsall presentò un check alla banca locale stampato dalla First National Bank di Los Angeles. Era firmato dalla Signora B. Edsall, supposta sua madre.

Più tardi fu trovato che la Signora Edsall non aveva nessun conto corrente con detta banca e che inoltre essa è persona del tutto sconosciuta.

Nella corte del Giudice Griffin, Edsall ammise che il suo nome era Donald Northrup.

**IL DOTTORE HICKOK SEN-  
TENZIATO IN SAN QUENTIN**

Il Dottore Galen R. Hickok, trovato colpevole dalla corte superiore a Redwood City di aver performato operazioni criminali nella persona della Signora Bertha Castle di San Francisco, fu sentenziato Mercoledì ad un tempo indeterminato in San Quentin.

Il Giudice Benjamin Knight di Santa Cruz passò la sentenza sedendo nella corte di Redwood City nel luogo del Giudice G. H. Buck il quale trovasi ammalato.

Il termine del Dottore Hickok in carcere sarà da due a cinque anni.

Una stasi di esecuzione di dieci giorni fu permessa dalla corte.

**IL GOVERNATORE APPUNTA  
MANUEL FRANCIS**

Manuel Francis di Halfmoon Bay è stato appunto supervisor del quarto distretto per empre il termine inspirato del suo fratello fu Supervisor Joseph Francis.

Li scrivano conteale, Signora E. M. Nash ricevette nota dell'appuntamento dal Governatore Stephens Mercoledì.

Francis fu eletto alla carica nelle elezioni generali di Novembre ma il suo termine non comincerà fino al primo di Gennaio.

I supervisori recentemente chiesero al Governatore di fare questo appuntamento in ordine che il quarto distretto fosse propriamente rappresentato.

**AI MEMBRI DELLA SOCIETÀ  
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Essendo in corso una delicatissima questione, lo svolgimento della quale richiede la presenza della maggioranza dei fratelli, nell'ultima seduta, nonostante gli sforzi del Segretario nell'avvisare questi, non avendo potuto ottenere tale maggioranza, fu deciso che tutti coloro i quali saranno assenti alla prossima riunione del giorno 20 Decembre, dovranno pagare una multa di 50c.

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**I SUPERVISORS AIUTANO  
PAGARE LE SPESE PER  
LA BASE NAVAL**

J. J. McGrath di San Mateo apparve davanti il Supervisors della contea a Redwood City Lunedì e domando un'appropriazione per aiutare a pagare la spesa di \$1000 incorsa nella preparazione e presentazione alla commissione navale investigante, i vantaggi del punto di San Mateo, quale adatto luogo per la proposta base navale. I Supervisors ammisero una quota di \$500 per il loro fondo di avvertimento.

Il Capo Quartermaster R. L. Hoffman, U. S. navy, apparve davanti la commissione e chiese che un comitato sia fatto nell'assicurare la recluta

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E. E. Cunningham di South San Francisco, George Hughes di San Bruno e H. H. Smith di Daly City furono appuntati per la parte nordica della contea. Il Dottore J. C. McGovern fu appunto dentista della contea dal primo distretto per la commissione del servizio sociale.

L'architetto W. H. Toeple sottomise una lista di 82 contrattori, i quali hanno fatto domanda di intenzione di figurare sulla costruzione del nuovo ospedale contea.

**I TRUSTEES DELLA CITTA' UNITI  
IN SESSIONE REGOLARE**

Un'adunanza regolare dei Trustees fu tenuta Lunedì alla quale tutti erano presenti eccetto G. H. Holston il quale è sofferente di un attacco di tonsiliti.

Una lettera fu ricevuta da H. Knob chiamante l'attenzione al povero servizio tranviario ed i Trustees Hardy, Eschelbach e l'avvocato cittadino Coleberd furono appuntati su di un comitato per investigare gli ufficiali dell'United Railroads e vedere cosa potrebbe farsi in proposito.

Due altre applicazioni per la posizione di guidatore del fire truck. Queste furono di Thomas J. Smith e Roderick Tibbets. Nessun appuntamento è stato finora fatto.

Un numero di note per la città furono presentate, ascoltate ed ordinate pagate.

Fra queste vi era la nota del South San Francisco Furniture Company per l'ammobbiamento del nuovo palazzo municipale ed una del Roberts Manufacturing Company per il sistema elettrico del medesimo.

**The Family Tree.**

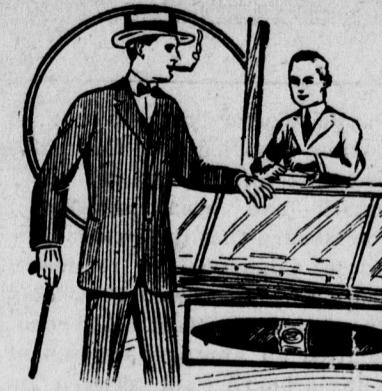
Seven-year-old Mary Jane has an aunt, who is a schoolteacher and who is also very self-willed. At Mary Jane's home whenever the little girl displays any evidence of stubbornness, her parents straightway call her Aunt Mary.

One day she was over to auntie's and with her was discussing her future occupation. "You'll probably be a schoolteacher like me," auntie said.

"Oh, I suppose I had better be one," the youngster agreed. "If I wasn't one whom would they say my little nieces take after when they get stubborn and want their own way?"

Profiteers who came to grasp remain to gasp.—Benton Harbor (Mich.) News-Palladium.

Optimism—the newlyweds buying a baby carriage.—Lemont (Ill.) Optimist-News.

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# The DRAPERS of LONDON



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## The Garden at the Drapers' Hall.

**D**ERIVING its name from the French "Drapperie," meaning cloth work, the Drapers company, as early as 1180, has been associated with the textile trade of London; and has numbered many distinguished men among its members since the proud day, in the reign of Henry I, when Henry Fitz-Alwin, member of the company, became London's first lord mayor, which office he continued to hold for 24 years.

Between 1331 and 1714 no less than 53 drapers were thus honored, says the Christian Science Monitor. Not only did Fitz-Alwin bring civic dignity to the company, but he left it all his lands in St. Mary Bothaw.

Cloth was made in England from very early days, but from Saxon times onward the chief seat of the industry was The Netherlands, whose weavers obtained the raw wool from England. Edward III, anxious to foster it as a British trade, forbade both the export of English wool, and the import of cloth, and invited balloon weavers to settle in England. He gave the first charter to the Drapers company in 1364, to enable it to enforce the statutes relating to the sale of cloths.

## Growth of the Industry.

The industry had so rapidly increased by 1385 that Sir Nicholas Brembre, mayor of London, issued an order separating drapery from tailory and the weaving business.

Busy times were the fairs of St. Bartholomew, West Smithfield and Southwark, where an enormous trade in textiles was done; and which the drapers and the merchant tailors attended for their trade search, so as to keep sharp guard over illicit practices, such as cloth of unlawful width, or short measure.

Edward III is credited with presenting the "Drapers' Hall" to the company, and frequent items in their accounts are disbursements for new "yards," or "companies standards," and also for cases in which to keep them.

By the reign of Henry VI the drapers had become so powerful that the king granted them their charter of incorporation in 1438, which, with their six other charters, is still preserved. It is a very splendid affair, beautifully illuminated with a head-piece of gold, and colors of the finest work, and is in a perfect state of preservation.

## A Tilt With Royalty.

Royal extortions and levies do not appear to have affected the drapers as much as some of the other companies, but in 1521 we read of great activity being displayed by them, in conjunction with the "divers auncyant felshippes" who assembled at "Frers Austyns" to discuss how they could either avoid or lessen the heavy contribution demanded of them by Henry VIII, toward the fitting out of five ships for the explorer, Sebastian Cabot. With great bravery they informed the king that he had no legal right to extort their contributions; and that it was "a sore adventure to Jopard ye shippes with men and goods unto the said island (Newfoundland) upon the singular trust of one man," but finally a peremptory message from "my Lord Cardynall" brought the truculent spirits into due submission.

Keen business men were these stalwart drapers, for not only do their records contain many entries illustrative of their trade activities, but they show that the management of their charities was equally alert. In 1527 they entered into a prolonged dispute with the Crutched Friars, regarding the boundaries of the ground purchased for almshouses by Sir John Milborn, and of the keeping up by the friars of certain observances in his memory.

## Pageants and Processions.

If the drapers displayed energy in business and kindly works, they were also always to the fore in the civic

connection with both the college and the "People's palace" is marked by most enthusiastic and personal interest, and the drapers are justly proud that this college is the only one in the British Isles where an aeronautical department has been established.

## Beginning of Our Navy.

The beginning of the United States navy was made with the passing of an act by congress in March, 1794, authorizing the building of six warships.

## Like Purposes.

Some persons covet secrets as a spendthrift covets money—for purposes of circulation.—Boston Transcript.

## Many Bridal Beliefs.

One is inclined to believe that the job of the folklore collector would have been greatly curtailed had it not been for the fund of material that is wrapped around the bride. Every little move she makes, every stitch in her gown, the flowers in her bridal bouquet, and the jewels she dons on her wedding day all have secret portents.

If the first flower a bride sees on her wedding morn is white, say the folklorists, she will lead a happy life; if red she will know sorrow and care. If a bunch of pink roses is given to a bride it is lucky.

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## LOCAL HAPPENINGS IN SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO

Mrs. A. C. Hein is recovering from an attack of tonsilitis.

G. W. Holston is improving from a severe attack of tonsilitis.

Mrs. E. Dorn of Hollister is visiting her son, Le Roy Dorn of this city.

Dr. and Mrs. R. S. Irvine were at Los Gatos over the last week-end.

Miss Irene Castiglio is working at the Hub for the Christmas holidays.

Joshua Maule Jr. has taken a position with the Nelson Pharmacy, San Francisco.

C. P. Rickman of Portland, Ore., is visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. A. J. Nussel.

Miss Catherine Holland of Oakland spent the week-end with Miss Beatrice Elkerenkotter.

Miss Grace Hoff of San Francisco was a visitor Tuesday at the home of Mrs. E. P. Kauffmann.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Knoth have as their guest Mr. Knoth's nephew, Henry Knoth, of New York City.

Miss Beatrice Elkerenkotter spent Wednesday at the home of Miss Catherine Holland at Oakland.

Mrs. A. Reed recently returned to her home from the hospital. Mrs. Reed is convalescing from her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Steele and family have moved to Oakland, where Mr. Steele has taken a position in the steel mill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Snyder and daughter, Ruth, will attend a dinner party Saturday evening at the Merk home in San Mateo Park.

Mrs. E. H. Belnap and Mrs. J. Cole of Vallejo spent Thursday and Friday at the home of Mrs. Cole's mother, Mrs. A. J. Nussel of this city.

Lolita Kelley recently entered the San Francisco normal school. Miss Kelley is specializing in first and second grade and kindergarten work.

Mrs. H. T. Lintott left Sunday for Westwood, Calif., to spend the holidays with her relatives. Mr. Lintott plans to join her at Christmas and accompany her home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wibell and two children were visiting at the home of Mrs. J. Elkerenkotter Sunday. Mrs. Wibell was formerly Miss Josie Kriess, a local school teacher.

Mrs. Howard Hopkins of the Knoth Apartments spent several days this week at Sacramento. Mrs. Hopkins was maid of honor while there at the wedding of a former college friend, Miss Houston.

Miss Louise White and Jack Martin attended the navy ball at the Palace Hotel Wednesday evening given by the officers of the Twelfth Naval District to the officers of the dreadnaught California.

Mrs. R. Jackson and daughter, Miss Mildred Jackson, from Portland, Ore., spent the week-end visiting at

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